

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Jurgen Schmidt  
Serial No. : 10/581,107  
Filed : May 31, 2006  
For Method for Coding and Decoding Impulse Responses of Audio  
Signals  
Examiner : Kile O. Blair  
Art Unit : 2614

AMENDMENT

Mail Stop Amendments  
Commissioners of Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir,

In response to the Office Action dated January 5, 2010, for which a shortened statutory period of three months ending April 5, 2010 was set in which to respond, the following amendments and comments are submitted and reconsideration of the claim rejections is respectfully requested.

Applicants submit that in view of the attached Certificate of Mailing this response is timely.

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